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AMERICA AND REPARATIONS.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER COMMENT.

New York, December 17.
American participation in European affairs dominates the news and editorial columns of the American press. The determination of President Harding to find some way to join in the settling of the Reparations problem is generally approved by the republican papers which see therein the logical development of Republican policies while the Democratic papers argue that the new development justifies ex-President Wilson's policies.

The Tribune (Republican) congratulates the administration and says it is apparently entering the European economic problem at the precise moment when an American solution becomes possible.

The World (Democratic) rejoices to perceive that the President is beginning to discover the impossibility of a policy of isolation and states that discontent here must grow unless the agricultural surplus finds a market abroad.

The Times advocates equipping Europe with ploughs and seeds not for humanity's sake but because it is good business. "It isn't saving the old world but the whole world, ourselves included."

"LET ERIN REMEMBER."

BRITISH EVACUATE DUBLIN.

FREE STATE TRICOLOR HOISTED.

LONDON, December 17.
Remarkable scenes marked the completion of the British evacuation of Dublin with the transfer of the remaining barracks posts. Dense cheering crowds lined the streets when the last four British regiments numbering between three and four thousand marched past General Macready. The pressure of the crowd on the North Wall was so great that the ranks were broken and the Quay gates rushed.

The Irish Commander-in-chief, General Mulcahy attended the transfer of military headquarters after which he hoisted the Irish tricolor. He also reviewed the Free State garrison. The last trooper sailed to the strains of "Auld Lang Syne" and "Let Erin Remember."

POLISH PRESIDENT ASSASSINATED.

A NEW CABINET FORMED.

WARSAW, December 17.

M. Narutowicz (the new Polish President whose assassination was recorded in earlier cables) died in a few minutes. An aide de camp arrested the assailant. The body of the murdered President was covered with a Polish flag and taken to the Palace in the presidential carriage followed by a large crowd in awed silence. All flags are half-masted, places of amusement closed and business is suspended. There is great indignation at the outrage but the country is calm.

The President of the Chamber who is temporarily acting as President has entrusted the Chief of the General Staff, General Ladislas Sikorski with the formation of a new cabinet. M. Skrzynski, the Polish Minister at Bucharest becomes Foreign Minister.

OBITUARY.

SERGEANT "MICKY" LANNON.

A POPULAR POLICE OFFICER.

The death took place at the Government Civil Hospital at 4.30 this morning of Lannon Sergeant Patrick Lannon, a popular member of the Hong Kong Police Force. Sergeant Lannon who was a fine specimen of a man, 5 feet 2 inches tall, well set and upright, was a native of County Kilkenny, Ireland, and had been eight years in the Police Force. He was 31 years of age.

The deceased was his usual self, quite hale and hearty, on Sunday morning but he took suddenly ill in the evening at 8 p.m., as he was about to go on patrol duty. Inspector Ceyll and him taken to the hospital, where, soon after admission, he began to cough up blood. His condition became hopeless after midnight and he lingered on for one hour and a half before he died.

Sergeant Lannon joined the Police Force in 1914 and served just before Britain's declaration of war on Germany, arriving here early in September. "Micky" as he was affectionately called, had a genial nature and his smile was infectious. A true friend and the best of companions, his death will be regarded as a personal loss by everyone in the Police Force, from the oldest member to the latest recruit.

Sergeant Lannon was stationed at Central at the time of his death, but he had served at every station during his eight years in the Force. When stationed at Yau-mai over a year ago, he was wounded in the thigh when looking a suspect. That wound never healed properly and as recently as last Friday he was complaining that it was making him trouble. Death was due to hemorrhage caused by the bursting of a blood vessel.

The deceased was unmarried, but his company was a large number of friends will be extended to his relatives in Ireland.

The funeral takes place at the Roman Catholic cemetery this afternoon at 2 p.m.

A UNIVERSITY STUDENT.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY.

A University student of the Arts Faculty named Chang Wen-shou died on Saturday morning after only three days' illness.

The funeral took place at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday and proceeded from the Government Civil Hospital along the Pokfulam Road. The Registrar, the Deans of the Faculties and the Hostel Wardens attended, together with many members of the staff, graduates and all the undergraduates. The Rev. H. W. L. Martin represented the staff and students of St. Stephen's College.

Amongst the wealth of floral tributes there were beautiful wreaths from the University Union, the Arts Association, the Engineering Society, the Medical Society, each of the Hostels, the staff and students of St. Stephen's College and the Yunnan Students' Union.

THE DOLLAR

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FAVOR TRANSPORT AFIRE.

DREADFUL PANIC ABOARD.

VESSEL A FLOATING FURNACE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 17.
The death roll of the French transport "Vinlong" which caught fire off San Stefano is now estimated at fifteen, including eight Senegalese riflemen. There was a dreadful panic on the vessel which, besides the crew of 300 carried a Company of Senegalese and some officers' wives, making a total of 500. The vessel also carried army stores. Rescue work was hampered by the explosions of munitions besides the smoke and flames. Destroyers came so close that many escaped by clambering aboard down-ropes and planks. A British destroyer tried to tow the transport ashore in order to beach her but was unsuccessful. Salvage tugs were powerless to face the floating furnace. It is believed that the fire was due to a short circuit.

DISARMAMENT.

ANOTHER WASHINGTON CONFERENCE?

WASHINGTON, December 17.

Senator King of Utah has introduced a resolution authorizing President Harding to call to a Washington disarmament conference the Governments with which the United States has diplomatic relations with the object of arriving at a general international agreement effectually to reduce and limit land and sea armaments in the interests of peace and the relief of all nations from the burden of inordinate and unnecessary expenditure on preparations for war.

BELGIAN EXCHANGE SPECULATIONS.

LEGAL EXPERTS TO INVESTIGATE.

BRUSSELS, December 17.

The Nation Belge states that it has been decided to send a commission of legal experts to Amsterdam to help the Netherlands legal authorities to enquire into the charges of illicit exchange speculation in which a firm situated in the Netherlands is alleged to have been implicated.

STEAMERS DAMAGED.

NORTH SEA CANAL COLLISION.

YMDRZEN, December 17.

The British steamer "Elizabeth Harrison" and the outward-bound Dutch steamer "Prinses Juliana" from Batavia collided in the North Sea canal. The former was badly and the latter slightly damaged. The "Elizabeth Harrison" is returning to Amsterdam for repairs.

AUSTRALIAN ELECTIONS.

LABOUR LIKELY TO HEAD.

MELBOURNE, December 17.

The latest election returns indicate the following as the possible state of the parties: Nationalists 27, Labour 35, Country Party 10, Liberals 3. Several doubtful seats may alter this position.

NEW LABOUR M. P. DEAD.

LONDON, December 17.

The death has occurred of the new Parliament Labourite Mr. Bell, involving a by-election at Newcastle East where he gained his seat by a majority of 3,085.

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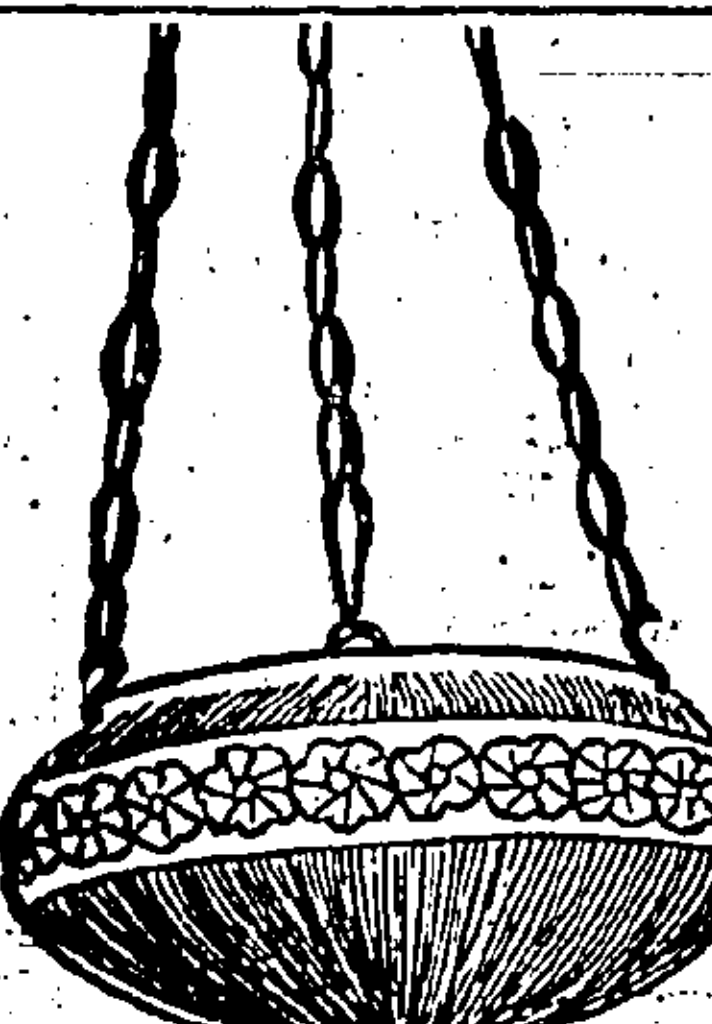
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FREE PORTS IN JAPAN.**QUESTION OF LOCATION.**

The question of establishing a free port or ports in Japan is now being much discussed in business circles and seems to meet with the approval of the Government. Mr. Hasegawa, the Director of the Public Works Section of the Home Department, thinks that the establishment of a free port as a centre of industry and commerce is a proposal worth considering. The Public Works Bureau has already taken up the matter and has dispatched some officials to Europe and America to investigate the administration of such ports. Some people advocate the establishment of a free port after the example of Amsterdam, as to make it a transshipment port, while others would rather have it established after the pattern of Hamburg in order to carry on industries within the free area besides doing repacking and other work there.

If the example of Amsterdam were followed, the establishment of such a port would be very easy, there being only the question of the collection of the Customs duty, but if the example of Hamburg were followed, there might arise some difficulty in execution. They would have to decide on the relation between the industries in the interior protected by Customs duty and the industries in the location of the free port, which would get a large profit from the lower cost of manufacturing owing to the free duty and the convenience for shipping the articles.

IMPROVEMENTS IN WAREHOUSING.

As to the construction of a free port, there would have to be many improvements in warehouses and quays, even if the system of Amsterdam were adopted. If the system of Hamburg were adopted, it would be necessary to get an extensive area of land at a low price as a location for the various factories, while in the factory zone many canals would have to be built. The Public Works Bureau would have to investigate on what scale the waterways ought to be constructed to get satisfactory results in the shipping and landing of goods. Opinions differ in business circles as to where the free port should be established, but free ports on the plan of Amsterdam could be established in many places. Some are inclined to think that the present system of bonded warehouses is sufficient for the purpose; it must not be forgotten that shipping and foreign trade concerns maintain losses owing to the complicated procedure entailed in till-

ing them. It is certain that, if factories were established in the location of the free port, it would give greater profit and convenience than a system of bonded warehouses.

CLAIMS OF KOBE.
The claims of Kobe to be the port selected are urged by the Kobe Chamber of Commerce, which discussed the question recently. Mr. Fukumoto, the Chief Secretary of the Chamber, said that the establishment of a free port was an urgent and most important work for the development of foreign trade in the country, and that he believed Kobe was the most suitable location for the free port. It would not be necessary to make the whole of Kobe the zone of the free port, but it should be established in a definite location in a part of Kobe or neighbourhood, where warehouses, piers and other equipment for the landing and shipping of merchandise could be constructed and the manufacture and packing of goods could be conducted. A committee of fifteen was elected to investigate the matter.

Hongkong is the best example of a free port which is practically limited to the transshipment of goods, although a certain amount of manufacture is carried on. As a free port Hongkong has certainly been a great success, but the conditions there are entirely different from what they would be in the case of Japan, where it is more a question of making all the ports free than concentrating the trade at the one or two ports.

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IN THE "MAIL."****ENTERTAINMENTS.**

December 18.—Coronet Theatre; Douglas Fairbanks in "The Three Musketeers." World Theatre; May McAvoy in "A Private Scandal." Kowloon Theatre; Lou Chaney in "The Penalty." Booking opens at Montreux for the A.D.C. Xmas Production of Shakespeare's "Tempest." Theatre Royal.

December 20.—January 2.—Theatre Royal; "The Tempest."

SOCIAL EVENTS.

December 18.—Reception in honour of His Grace the Archbishop of Theodosia at Catholic Union Club, 6 p.m.

SPORTING EVENTS.

December 20.—Booking opens for members of the Boxing Association.
December 21.—Booking for the Boxing Tournament opens for the general public.
December 23.—Theatre Royal; Next Boxing Tournament.
December 24 to 26.—Royal H.K. Golf Club competitions for Xmas Holidays.
January 27.—Theatre Royal; Boxing Tournament.

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COMPANY MEETING.

December 22.—Hongkong, Canton Macao steamboat Coy., extraordinary general meeting, noon.

OTHER MEETINGS.

December 18.—Royal Hongkong Golf Club, annual general meeting, Jardine Matheson's Board Room, 5.15 p.m.

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INTIMATIONS**THE ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.****NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that

the Annual General Meeting of

Members of THE ROYAL HONGKONG

GOLF CLUB, will be held in the

Board Room of Messrs. JARDINE,

MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Hongkong,

on MONDAY, the 18th day of

December 1922, at 5.15 p.m.

To Receive from the Committee a

Report, Balance Sheet and Statement

of Accounts for the year ended 30th

September 1922.

To Consider, and if thought expedient,

pass a Resolution continuing the

additional subscription of \$2.—

per month until the 31st December

1924.

To Elect Officers, Members of the

Committee, and an Auditor for the

ensuing year.

To Decide on any Resolution which

may be submitted to the Secretary

& Treasurers four days prior to the

Meeting.

Any Other Business.

By Order of the Committee,

PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING,

Secretaries and Treasurers.

Hongkong, December 7, 1922.

Nominations for members of the

General Committee should reach the

Secretary and Treasurers not later

than 5 p.m. on Thursday, the 14th

December, 1922.

THE ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.**NOTICE.****COMPETITIONS FOR XMAS****HOLIDAYS****OLD COURSE**

Running Buggy Pool, \$1.—per

card, 23rd to 26th December 1922.

SUNDAY, 24th December.**Forenoon—18 Holes Medal Play**

under Handicap Club Prize.

TUESDAY, 26th December.**Forenoon—Tombstone Competition,**

Prize presented.

Afternoon—Mixed Foursomes

Competition, Entrance Fee \$1.—

per couple. Players choose own

partners.

NEW COURSE**TUESDAY, 26th December.****Forenoon—Ladies' Tombstone**

Competition, Entrance Fee

50 cents.

The Main Club House will be open

to Ladies on Tuesday 26th December.

PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING,

Secretaries & Treasurers.

Hongkong, December 10, 1922.

HONGKONG BOXING ASSOCIATION.**SECOND TOURNAMENT OF****THE SEASON.****Saturday, December 23rd,**

at 9.15 p.m.

AT THE**THEATRE ROYAL.****MAIN EVENT.**

Fifteen round Cont at for the Mid-

dleweight Championship of the Colony

and the Hongkong "Daily Press" Belt.

A. B. DUNCAN v. C. P. O. CALLAGHAN**H.M.S. Magnolia H.M.S. Titania.**

Also

Two Lightweight Contests, One

Featherweight Contest, One Welter-

weight Contest, One Middleweight

Contest, and One Bantamweight

Contest, all of six rounds each.

A Band will play between the

events.

Booking at Monities.—Members 20th

December, General Public from Decem-

ber 21st.

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Prime Cut ... 20

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Roast, — Shio ... 24

Roast, — Ngau Yek ... 22

Roast, — Tong Yek ... 22

Roast, — Ngau Yek Pa ... 24

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Sausages, — Ngau Cheung ... 18

Sausages, — Ngau No per set 12

Tongue, fresh, — Ngau Li each 60

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each 75 cents

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Heart, — Ngau Sam, lb. 18

Hump, Salt, — Ngau Kin, 22

Feet, — Ngau Kent, each 12

Kidneys, — Ngau Yik, 12

Liver, — Ngau Kon, lb. 18

Liver, — Ngau Kon, lb. 18

Tripe (andressed), Ngau To lb. 8

Lard, — Ngau Tan, each 1.20

Mutton Chop, — Young Fat Kwai lb. 36

Leg, — Young Fat Kwai lb. 36

Shoulder, — Young Fat Kwai lb. 36

Saddle, — Young Fat Kwai lb. 36

Pig's Chitlings, — Chu Chong lb. 36

Butter, — Chu Chong lb. 36

Feet, — Chu Chong lb. 15

Fry, — Chu Chong lb. 30

Heart, — Chu Chong lb. 18

Heart, — Chu Chong lb. 18

Kidneys, — Chu Chong lb. 18

Liver, — Chu Chong lb. 30

Liver, — Chu Chong lb. 30

Pork Chop, — Chu Chong lb. 30

Leg, — Chu Chong lb. 30

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UNROMANTIC MAN.**A PICCADILLY TRIUMPH**

Is there any good or legitimate

reason why the cape or cloak for men

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Tailor and Cutter. It is worn in

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Austria; a Spaniard or an Italian is

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cape is familiar. But the proposition

is that the full fledged cloak (none of

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Invernesses) be revived from the win-

droll of history, and placed upon the

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1922.

Life is just a little drab and prosy,

and men's dress reflects these qualities

in austerity of cut and sombreness of

stuff. Cloaks, say masters, would in-

fuse poetry into the streets, and pos-

sibly into the lives of their wearers.

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set-up man was seen wearing a long

cape of fine black material, hanging

in graceful folds, with a deep velvet

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BIRTH.

GILL.—On the 15th inst. at No. 3
Pratt Building, Kowloon, to Mr.
and Mrs. F. J. Gill, a daughter.

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, MONDAY, DEC 18, 1922.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

How time flies! Here is Christmas round again, another new year following close, and it seems only like yesterday since. . . . But Christmas is not quite here yet. There are still six more days before it comes. Whether or not the old saw lies and anticipation fails to exceed, or even to equal, realization, these six days anyway are almost as enjoyable, almost as exciting as the great occasion itself. For these six days see the joys and the thrills of our Christmas shopping. True, the Colony has already done much of its Christmas shopping—six or eight weeks ago. If relatives and friends in the Homeland were to receive their gifts in time for the festive season, purchases must be made long before Christmas—much more numerous—there are those who still have their Hongkong Christmas shopping. Households must see that nothing wants in every department of eating and drinking if the occasion is to be celebrated with traditional joviality. Parents must adopt clever stratagems to smuggle toys into the home if yawning stockings are to be discovered next morning brimful with wondrous delights for the young—and sometimes, too, for the old! Then again, perhaps the most delightful and the most intriguing part of the whole merry business, Christmas shopping requires ever changing viewpoint. "What would Dick like the best?" or "Just picture Mary's delight when she discovers this!" And so it goes

with endless variety for fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts—not to mention cousins and friends. This buying for others, this seeking to please them most, is the real secret of the joy Christmas shopping always brings. The purchases are presents—emblems of goodwill, if not of affection. And now, while so much thought is being given to the pleasure of others, Christmas shoppers should remember that it is a real kindness, which will be appreciated by everyone connected with the shops, if purchases are made early. This consideration will also spare shoppers themselves. They will then escape the "rush hours" when the range of selection is necessarily smaller, when the question "what to give?" becomes a problem, a very problem indeed.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A Sale of Work under the auspices of the Industrial Institute for the Blind (Church Missionary Society) will be held in the Helena May Institute on Wednesday, next from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.—Adv.

Will graduates of Edinburgh University who are interested in the formation of an association for furthering the interests of their Alma Mater and for promoting social intercourse amongst themselves kindly communicate with Dr. E. Law, No. 6, Queen's Road Central.—Adv.

Wan Pan, a rent collector employed on the first floor of No. 6, Prince's Building, was the victim of a daring daylight robbery in Yaumatei yesterday. He was attacked on the staircase of a house in Key Road by two men armed with revolvers who stole over \$100 from him. He chased them and one of the men was arrested.

On December 7, an earth cooler working on the reclamation at Tai Wan, Hung Hom, had one of his legs severed through being run over by a locomotive engine. He was taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital where under good medical attention he progressed as well as could be expected. Later, however, gangrene set in and he died at the hospital on Saturday afternoon.

ARMS CASES.

"EMPRESS" STEWARD
JAILED.

Mr. J. R. W. had two arms cases before him this morning, and the accused—two Chinese—received six months' jail each.

In the first case a Chinese Steward of the C.P.S. "Empress of Australia" was charged with the unlawful possession of two Smith and Weston revolvers.

Mr. J. M. Hall appeared for the defence in this case, but after consultation with the accused, withdrew.

Accused said that while the steamer was in dock at Vancouver after her breakdown, a European came on board selling arms and he bought two to send to his people in the country for protection against bandits.

The accused in the other case was arrested in the Tsimshatsui Station of the Kowloon Canton Railway. He was searched at the Customs barrier and a revolver and 50 rounds of ammunition were found concealed in his girdle. He had booked a ticket to Pingtung.

Accused said he was formerly a seaman on the Blue Funnel "Keemun." When the steamer was in America, a European advised him to buy a revolver for protection against robbers.

PIECE GOODS DISPUTE

ONE REMAINING OBSTACLE.

According to Mr. Ip Lan chuen the secretary of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, satisfaction has been expressed by the piecegoods dealers at the reply sent by the foreign firms to the Chamber. A new form of contract has been suggested by this body and the importers have adopted a conciliatory attitude. There only remains one main obstacle and that is that the dealers wish to be empowered to ask the Chinese Chamber for arbitration should disputes arise. This, the importers feel they cannot concede. The Chamber will still make representations to the importers on this point.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. T. B. Barlow, son of Sir John Barlow, is at present on a visit to Singapore.

Two Chinese cases of plague, a Chinese case of diphtheria and a British case of scarlet fever were notified yesterday.

The new school year of Queen's College begins on January 3, 1923. Particulars as to admission will be found in an advertisement in this issue.

Among the obituary notices appearing in mail week were: Sir James W. Stewart, ex-Glasgow provost; Lord Ludlow, as a result of his horse tripping over a wire; and the journalist, Alfred E. J. Watson, racing correspondent for the Times.

The Po Shun s.s. Co., Ltd., of No. 114, Wai Lok Street, will run the fast steamer "Hainan" on a special excursion trip to Hanoi on December 20, to take Xmas holiday-makers to the Fair there, advertised as the "greatest exhibition in the Far East." Special return fare can be booked at Cook's at \$80 for the round trip.

Messrs. Donnelly and White have sent us a packet of "St. Dunstan's" Cigarettes which they are introducing to the local market. The cigarettes have been manufactured and distributed on behalf of St. Dunstan's Blind Soldiers and Sailors' After-care Fund by Messrs. Carreras Ltd. and, as a notice on the back of the packet predicts (not, it is to be hoped, without justification) cigarette smokers the world over will be proud to know that every time they buy a packet of "St. Dunstan's," they are proving in a most practical way their desire to assist in the welfare of the men who have given so much for the Empire. Apart from that the "St. Dunstan's" is a capital smoke.

After dinner at Government House last Friday night, His Excellency's Guests had the pleasure of witnessing a remarkable Magic and Ventriquoque performance by the Mystic Two Eruch and Edna. During the first part of the programme, Professor Eruch presented a number of ingenious and original experiments in conjuring. These included the Kigo Mystic illusion, in which Edna took a leading part. Professor Eruch concluded the performance with an exhibition of his Ventriquoque powers after which he was presented to His Excellency who complimented him warmly upon his skill.

POLICE PRESENTATIONS.

GOLD WATCHES FOR GOOD
CITIZENS.

The Central Police Station compound was the scene of an interesting ceremony on Saturday morning when the Captain Superintendent of Police (Mr. E. D. O. Wolfe) presented suitably inscribed gold hunter watches to Revenue Officer Ward and a Chinese citizen named Tsai Yng, who distinguished themselves for bravery in the sensational Wing-wo Street armed robbery in September, when Detective Sergeant Siu Chuen was murdered.

In making the presentation, Mr. Wolfe said that on September 3 an armed robbery took place at No. 23, Wing-wo Street. In getting away from the house the robbers were pursued by two Chinese named Tsai Yng and Chung Fat. An Indian silk merchant, named Mr. Mahtanni, joined in the chase and grappled with one of the robbers. This man was possessed of a dagger and stabbed Mr. Mahtanni in five places before he was overpowered. The two Chinese assisted in the struggle and Tsai Yng rendered the robber unconscious with a blow from an opium pipe which he was carrying. Revenue Officer Ward, who happened to be in the neighbourhood of the robbery, also pursued one of the robbers and in Gilman Street a fierce struggle ensued between the robber and the Revenue Officer. The robber possessed a revolver and was a very powerful man. Revenue Officer Ward was sorely tried in preventing the man from using the weapon. A Chinese detective came on the scene and he took over the struggle from the exhausted Revenue Officer. The robber fired at the detective, but fortunately the shot missed. The detective returned the fire and the robber was wounded and arrested. At the Criminal Sessions the two robbers were sentenced to 15 years' hard labour and to receive 10 strokes with the cat. Revenue Officer Ward was complimented by the Judge (Mr. Justice Gompertz) for his bravery.

Mr. Wolfe added that he wished to express to the recipients of the rewards the Government's appreciation for their services and he expressed thanks on behalf of the Police for their timely assistance at imminent danger to their own lives.

A gold hunter watch is to be presented to Chung Fat when he returns from the country. Mr. Mahtanni has already received the Government's thanks and recognition in the form of a cheque.

The presentation was made in the presence of Mr. P. P. J. Wadehouse (Deputy Superintendent of Police), Mr. Perkins (Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence), Mr. Kerr (Assistant Superintendent of Police), Chief Detective Inspector Marston, Chief Inspector MacDonald and other members of the Force.

ANOTHER STRIKE.

CHINESE TAILORS REFUSE
WORK.

After prolonged discussions, some of the Chinese working tailors are now refusing work. Only very few orders for clothes are executed by the shops that carry the stocks as they farm out most of their business to the tailors who actually piece the garments together. Quite recently, in response to demands, the latter were granted increases in their rates, which are paid per garment.

For some two or three weeks, negotiations have taken place between the shop-masters and the workmen. Originally, it was hinted that the employers were willing to concede any demands as they would charge it on to their patrons. However, somebody pointed out that if this policy were adopted, a time might come when charges would become prohibitive and customers might refuse to wear the Chinese garb. The men disavowed the continual procrastination and the position today is that Chinese master tailors can sell silk and cut it up but there is nobody to sew it together. Probably the workmen are trying to take advantage of the fact that most Chinese want new clothes for the winter solstice festival and the New Year and it would be unprofitable for the shops to hold out at the risk of losing patronage and be faced at the same time with the prospect of carrying stocks over the New Year—a most undesirable feature from the viewpoint of a Chinese business man.

Unnecessary Words.

Why waste words and advertising space in describing the many points of merit in a Chinese Court comedy? The most tedious are satisfied when we state that it is a comedy and that it is a comedy. For sale by all Chinese and English bookshops.

FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S GAMES AND
RESULTS.

LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION.

"HAWKINS" v. R.G.A.

Played on Navy "B" ground before a large number of Service spectators. The Sailors won the toss, and Watson started the game against the wind. Green got away but Bickers cleared and play was transferred. Barkham being stopped by Frampton when about to shoot. At the other end Couzens tried a shot that the goalie fumbled and Watson being close up opened the score for the Gunners, this reverse woke up the Hawkins and from the kick they went away but found Henwood and Frampton in form. Osborn finally spoiling a fine chance by being offside. Lelliott got away from the kick and sent in a beautiful shot that Hooper did well to clear. The ball going to Barkham that player went down and centring at the right moment James met it and beat Phillips with a rising shot making the score level. The Gunners resumed the attack and Couzens missed from a fine position. Half time score—one all.

Early in the second half Barkham came into collision with Frampton and hurt his ankle. He retired to the touch line for a time, but although he resumed his place later he was obviously a passenger. Hawkins played up well and should have taken the lead, several good chances going begging for the want of a little judgment. From a breakaway by the Gunners Lelliott headed in the winning goal, time arriving with the score two to one in favour of the R.G.A. The Gunners were lucky to win for the second goal was certainly a gift from a bump in the ground; a draw would have been a much better result. Referee: Mr. Hollands.

CLUB v. "TITANIA."

Played on the Club ground before a moderate crowd of spectators. "Titania" won the toss and Begg started the game. The Sailors were soon pressing and forced a corner which was cleared and Begg got away and tested Phillips, the latter clearing. Club continued to press and Forsyth missed a good chance to open the score by sending wide. McPhail was pulled up for fouling and from the kick Emery just missed a fine centre, the ball going behind. At the other end Purvis and England both had a try to find the net. Later Phillips was applauded for a fine save from Forsyth. Play being transferred, Grace tested Rodger but the latter was safe. A mistake by Bradshaw let in McTavish, who passed to Valentine for the latter to open the score for the Club. A few minutes later one of the defenders was responsible for the Club's second goal for he deflected the ball out of the reach of Phillips. Half time arrived with the Club leading by 2 goals to 0.

Restarting, the Club pressed and Begg missed when well in and play went to the other end where Grace had a try. Rodger saved, and Forsyth tried one at the other end but sent in weakly, the goalie clearing easily. Scruppy play in midfield lasted for a time until Emery receiving went in and beat Rodger with a fast ground shot. From now on the Sailors pressed but could not draw level and the final whistle went leaving the Club winners of a very scrappy game by the odd goal in three.

Referee: Mr. Williams.

SOUTH CHINA v. KOWLOON.

Played on the Chinese ground the home team winning by 4 goals to 1.

The game opened very fast the Chinese forward line being in fine form; they were soon worrying the Kowloon defence though they were unable to beat Woodman. At the other end Munson had a hard time with a shot that hit the bar with Fan Hing. Cheong beaten to the wide. Chan So cleared and a foul against Pasco saw Wong Pak-cheong open the score from a pass. From the kick the Chinese forwards obtained and went down for Chan Kwong-kin to put on No. 2. Kowloon now took up the attack, but the Chinese defence was too good and half time arrived with the Chinese leading by two goals to 0.

In the second half Kowloon re-arranged their forward line but to no purpose as the Chinese defence had the measure of them. Mason was responsible for the Chinese third goal for in attempting to clear he put it into his own goal. Two penalties now fell to the Kowloon side, the first one was converted by Fan, but Len saved the second and sent away. Chan Kwong-kin went through on his own and beat Woodman with a fine shot from near the

FOOTBALL.

CHINESE ADVERTISING
METHODS.

The featuring of political topics in posters advertising cheap sales is increasing in favour with the Chinese storekeepers in Queen's Road. One enterprising shop displaying two designs in which a man with features closely resembling those of General Chen Chiung-ming, figured was rewarded with an augmented turnover. Competitors have not been slow to imitate him and now there are over twenty shops which have posters in every one of which a man is drawn with features bearing a striking likeness to Canton's Commander-in-Chief. Although rivals in business, they all seem to be co-operators in politics, if their advertising is any criterion. None of the posters reflects credit upon the present Canton government and day and night they attract crowds who laugh at the caricatures. Some of them are plainly outspoken and betray no effort to conceal at whom the ridicule is directed. Anybody with a fair grounding in Chinese will be able to judge the trend of Chinese popular opinion as regards politics at Canton, by scanning the faces of the crowds round the shops.

corner flag. With the Chinese press the final whistle went with the result as stated.

Referee: Mr. Collier.

KING'S v. POLICE.

Played at Sookampoo, the Police were without Swan, McWalter and Valentine, Angus, Dryden and D. Clark deputising. The King's pressed from the start but Jones missed from close in, and play was transferred. Watson found the net, but offside had been given by the referee. Dyer opened the score for the King's and half time saw them leading by the only goal scored.

In the second half the Police played only ten men, Robertson leaving the field through an injury to his knee. The Soldiers' forwards should have had about six goals this half but the good keeping by Angus coupled with bad shooting by the former's forwards kept the score down. They did however increase their lead by two, Williams and Dwyer being responsible, whilst Wynne missed a penalty for hands against McLaren. Final score: Kings 3; Police 0.

Referee: Mr. Smith.

"DURBAN" v. "TAMAR."

Played on the Navy "A" ground the Durban getting an unexpected win by two clear goals. Play opened very tamely and midfield play followed for a time. Both sets of backs proved very safe, and lemon-times arrived with the score sheet blank.

In the second half the Durban had nearly all the game and Yeoman and Dallison each scored a goal.

Referee: Mr. Tyldenley.

SECOND DIVISION.

The Police secured their first win against the Auxiliaries by defeating them by the odd goal in four. Angus (2) and Simpson being responsible for the score. Griffin in goal showed improved form, whilst Angus was the leading light in the forward line.

Chinese "B" and the United played a goalless drawn game on the Club ground although the Chinese had the majority of the play.

Kowloon scored an unexpected victory against the University on the Hung Hom ground by four goals to nil.

Hawkins left the R.G.A. behind by the score of 5 goals to 1.

S. JOSEPH'S v. "DURBAN"

Played on the College ground, a fast game saw the home team run out winners by two goals to none, Hyndman and Ogley being responsible.

KING'S v. "MARAZION"

Played at Sookampoo the Soldiers winning by three goals to 0.

SOUTH CHINA "A" v. "AMBROSE."

Played on the Chinese ground the home team winning by 3 goals to 1.

"TITANIA" v. WARDERS.

Played on the St. Joseph's ground at 2 p.m. this was a very even game which saw the sailors win 5 by the odd goal in five.

BAKERS' STRIKE.

NO FRESH DEVELOPMENT.

REQUEST FOR SYMPATHY.

Nothing of importance has developed during the week-end in regard to the bakers' strike. One bakery at Wanohai has managed to recruit some new labour and has been accorded police protection. Indian and Chinese constables are on duty there.

Chu Tsun Cheong, liaison officer of the Hip Tsun guild has been detained by the authorities pending inquiries. Considerable hardship has been inflicted on a number of women workers hitherto employed in the bakeries. Earning nominal wages, they will find it difficult to make ends meet during the present enforced stoppage.

In connection with the closing of the guild, the Hongkong Kung Po, which claims to be the organ of Hongkong's labour, says that the guild together with affiliations in Canton and Macao, comprises about 10,000 members. A large number of members have not been advised as to why the guild has been declared an illegal society and propose to enlist legal advice with a view to asking the Government for a reason. Official correspondence has been sent to the Kung Tun Chung Wai (the General Labour Guild) the Chinese Engineers' Institute and seven or eight other influential unions, requesting their sympathy. No definite response has been received but the General Labour Guild has held a private meeting to discuss the matter.

WHY GUILD WAS CLOSED.

The Hip Tsun Tsung She is the guild, not only of Hongkong's bakers, but also of employees of foreign households and restaurant staff supplying foreign meals, and is divided into several sub-departments. Although in the minority, the bakers have more or less monopolised the guild and had obtained promises of support from the representatives of the other branches.

On Thursday last, announcements were made in the Chinese papers to the effect that the guild had accumulated funds of over \$50,000. The support of the striking bakers required about \$10 per day and the guild would do its duty by providing for their maintenance. It was this that probably led up to the guild being declared an illegal society. At any rate it was raided on Friday afternoon and some of the effect removed. Nearly all of the strikers have gone to Canton since. On Friday night, their representatives held a meeting at the Tung Teng restaurant, West Point, but what was discussed or decided has not been revealed.

Speaking to a China Mail reporter, several members of the "foreign household" and "safe" branches of the defunct guild expressed themselves as not being in sympathy with the bakers. They were in the majority and had contributed the greater part of the guild funds. Consequently they were not exactly pleased at the idea of the funds being expended in a prolonged strike. Asked as to the bakers' reception in Canton, they shook their heads and said the times were different.

LED BY WOMAN.

ROBBERS' \$2,200 HAUL.

Said to have been led by a woman robber, three armed men, one carrying a revolver and the other two daggers, raided the first floor of No. 34, Lower Macao Row at 2 p.m. yesterday and made a haul of valuables worth \$2,200.

According to Chau Ngan-king, the mistress of the house, she, the amah and a small maid were the only inmates of the house at the time of the robbery. She was sitting alone sewing in the front part of the flat when she was surprised by the robbers. The woman robber who was unnamed entered first, followed by the three men. The female intruder did all the talking. She announced that they had come to "search" the house, and demanded "Chan's" keys. When Chan said she did not have them, one of the men seized hold of her while the woman robber bound and gagged her. The other two men went to the kitchen where they had no difficulty in overpowering the amah and the small maid. All three were then hustled into a cubicle where one of the men stood guard over them. The woman and the other two men searched Chan's cubicle. They found her keys under the bed-mat, and opening up a chest of drawers, and several boxes, helped themselves to a large sum of money. The woman robber then said: "We have taken \$2,200. You must give us \$500 American money."

BOMBS IN RUBBISH HEAP.

CRIMINAL COURT SEQUEL.

TWO "DANGEROUS CHARACTERS."

The story of the arrest of two Chinese carrying arms was told before the Chief Justice at the Criminal Sessions this morning, when Tin Sang and Chan Hung were charged with having possession of dynamite, fuses and detonators.

Prosecuting the Crown Solicitor, (Mr. H. K. Holmes) explained that on November 28 two police constables saw the prisoners coming from the direction of Queen's Road carrying very suspicious looking parcels and in consequence the men were stopped. One of the men was carrying a tin and the other a cardboard box. When they were asked what the parcels contained the man with the cardboard box replied "Shells" and the defendant with the tin told the constables that it contained kerosene oil. When one of the constables looked inside the cardboard box parts of bombs were found. The defendants were conveyed to the Police Station and when asked to give their addresses, one said Portland Street and the other Shung Hui Street, Mongkok. A subsequent search of the first defendant's place of abode brought with it the discovery of bombs in a rubbish heap, and in the home of the second defendant were found two revolvers and nine rounds of ammunition. An analysis of the bombs proved that they were charged with dynamite and fixed with detonators. The men were then charged with being in possession of arms for an unlawful purpose.

After hearing the evidence the jury found defendants guilty and the Chief Justice sentenced Tin Sang to seven years and fourteen years' hard labour, the sentence to run concurrently the other defendant Chan Hung was sentenced to seven years' hard labour. The Chief Justice described the defendants as dangerous characters and said he had not the slightest hesitation in passing the full sentence which the law demanded.

"THREE MUSKETEERS"

AT THE CORONET TO DAY.

Long and rainy night one search before finding an artist better equipped by nature to play the part of D'Artagnan, the dashing hero of Alexandre Dumas' most famous novel, than Douglas Fairbanks whose film version of "The Three Musketeers" is to be shown at the Coronet all this week.

It is in every way a superlative production. It cost a million dollars to make and there are 118 people in the cast, not including extras. The story was adapted for the screen by Mr. E. Ward Kniblock, the well known English dramatist and the film is based to some extent upon the memoirs of D'Artagnan.

For sheer action "The Three Musketeers" far exceeds any living the mercurial D'Artagnan and ever attempted before. Altogether sixteen duels occur in the course of the picture and one of them the hero valiantly backed up by that redoubtable trio Athos, Porthos and Aramis, crosses swords with eight antagonists.

PARTNERS' DISPUTE SETTLED.

The case in which one partner in a Chinese firm charged another with embezzlement of funds, was again mentioned before Mr. R. E. Lindell this morning when Mr. W. B. Hind, on behalf of Mr. G. K. Hall Bratton, solicitor for the prosecution, announced that a settlement had been reached out of court and asked for permission to withdraw the charge. Mr. Hind said that the settlement was reached as the result of the Magistrate's suggestion to Mr. Bratton and Mr. H. L. Dennis, solicitor for the defence, at the previous hearing. The efforts of the solicitors concerned in the case had resulted in the accounts being squared.

The Magistrate accordingly struck the case off the list.

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An ingenious stunt for advertising the undoubted merits as a window gift of the portable Victrola is attracting a good deal of attention in one of Messrs Moutrie and Co's windows in Des Voeux Road. The window has been fitted up as a child's bedroom and over the figure of a large doll asleep in the cot bends a benignant Santa Claus with a portable Victrola in his hand. No Chinese and not many Europeans are able to resist the temptation to stop for a few moments' "look-see."

KIDNAPPING.

YOUTH RANSOMED FOR \$2,700.

A daring case of kidnapping was infolded before Mr. Justice Gompertz at the Criminal Sessions this morning when Li Chung was charged with being concerned in a conspiracy to kidnap a youth named Tam Wun of 24 Ship Street, the twenty-year old son of a wealthy contractor.

The jury called for the case were Messrs. C. Lauritsen (foreman) G.P. Marcel, E. G. d'Aquino, J. O. Gomes, G. M. Shaw, D. Tolan and Ng Man-hoi.

Opening the Crown Case the Attorney General (Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp K.C.) said that Tam Wun was a married man and at the time of the kidnapping was a pupil at a drawing school. About the middle of last August Tam met a man who took him to the Stag Hotel, bought him a meal and introduced to the scene. On the next day prisoner appeared as a pupil at the drawing school. There he became friendly with Tam. A visit to Canton was later on suggested and eventually Tam, the prisoner and two others went away. Ultimately a party of them boarded a train and alighted at a certain station, and, walking along the road, they were accosted by five men armed with revolvers. Three of the men seized Tam and took him away. He was taken from village to village, was kept a close prisoner, and forced to write letters to his father suggesting that if anyone should ask for money that he (Tam's father) should pay. As a result Tam's father received a series of letters demanding ransom, one of which was in Tam's own handwriting. Eventually the father reported the matter to the police and the S.C.A. and negotiations were entered into so that a ransom was arranged. On November 8 two men went to Canton and landed over \$2,700 and Tam was released.

Continuing, counsel then explained the circumstances of prisoner's arrest. On November 10 when Tam was returning to Hongkong with two friends the prisoner by a curious coincidence, was travelling in the same train. At Shelling the prisoner got up to leave the train but was seized by Tam's two friends and subsequently handed over to the police.

Evidence was then given and the hearing of the charge is still proceeding.

FOOTBALL.

INTERNATIONAL MATCH.

ENGLAND V. SCOTLAND.

The following teams have been chosen to play in the annual England v. Scotland football match fixed for December 26, on the club ground—

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"KASHGAR"	9,000	27th Dec. at No. 1	B'way, Vassolles, L'don, A'warp.
"PRINCE"	7,333	30th Dec. at No. 1	Manzanillo, L'don, A'warp.
"NAPORE"	5,300	10th Jan.	S'pore, Colbo & B'way.
"SOTON"	6,507	18th Jan.	S'pore, Penang, Colbo & B'way.
"SARDINIA"	6,580	24th Jan.	Manzanillo, L'don, A'warp.
"NELORE"	6,583	7th Feb.	do.
"DELTA"	8,400	7th Feb.	do.
"KHIV"	9,107	21st Feb.	B'way, Vassolles, L'don, A'warp.
"MORFA"	11,600	7th Mar.	Manzanillo, L'don, A'warp.
"KASHMIR"	8,000	21st Mar.	Manzanillo, L'don, A'warp.
"DOYOLA"	9,000	4th Apr.	do.
"NANKIN"	7,000	18th Apr.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,000	2nd May	do.
"KASHGAR"	9,000	16th May	do.
"NYANZA"	7,000	30th May	do.

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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"TORILGA"	6,507	21st Dec. at 2 p.m.	Calcutta via Singapore and Penang, Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.
"JAPAN"	6,700	21st Dec.	do.

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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"SARDINIA"	6,580	21st Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, and Yokohama.
"TANDA"	7,000	22nd Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Amoy.
"SIBERIA"	8,500	20th Dec.	Shanghai and Japan.
"GREGORY APCAR"	4,650	2nd Jan.	Amoy, Shanghai and Moji.

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STEAMER	TONS	LEAVE HONGKONG
HARUYO MARU	22,000	Jan. 19th 1923
KIRINYO MARU	22,000	Mar. 7th 1923
TAIYO MARU	22,000	Apr. 23rd 1923

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

LAUSANNE, December 16th.
The Turkish delegation has received
telegrams from Ankara strongly em-
phasizing the necessity of an early con-
clusion of the peace negotiations, as the
financial position of Ankara is becoming
untenable.

The Turks will undoubtedly be greatly
disappointed at the British Memorandum
handed to them, explaining that it is
impossible to detach Mosul from Iraq.
The Memorandum points out that the
Turcomans only form one-twelfth of the
population of Mosul, and they are de-
pendent economically on Iraq and Syria
rather than Asia Minor, while strateg-
ically, the cession of Mosul and Iraq to
Turkey would make Baghdad and Iraq
almost defenceless, and involve the break-
up of the State.

The Memorandum makes it clear that
Great Britain's mandate obligations must
be upheld, and Iraq must not be divided.

LAUSANNE, December 16th.
A deadlock has apparently been re-
ached over the important question of the
Greek Patriarchate at Constantinople,
the Turks insisting on its removal unless
it is transformed into an autocephalous
institution.

The American Observer, Mr. Child,
firmly backed up the vigorous disapproval
of large bodies of Americans at the pro-
posal for the abolition or removal of the
Patriarchate.

AUSTRALIA'S FEDERAL ELECTIONS

MELBOURNE, December 16th.
Keen interest was displayed in the
Federal elections to-day. Members who
were returned unopposed include Mr. W.
Watt, leader of the new Liberal Party,
Mr. Charlton, Labor leader, and Mr.
Grimwade, deputy leader of the Country
Party.

The Prime Minister, Mr. William M.
Hughes, has been elected for North
Sydney.

MELBOURNE, December 16th.
Up to the present the election results
foreshadow a Government defeat. The
Labor nominees are ahead, present leading
with forty-four seats. The Nationalists
hold twenty-three, the Country Party six
and others three.

JAPANESE STEAMER
AFIRE.

LOS ANGELES, December 16th.
The steamer *Chikago-maru*, with a
cargo valued at \$750,000, is afire and be-
yond control.

The passengers, numbering one hundred
have been landed.

The decks were so hot during the
Japanese crew's fight with the flames
that the sailors' feet were burned. Many
were overcome by smoke.

LATER.
The fire originated in the cargo of
cotton. It has now been extinguished.

NEW POLISH PRESIDENT
ASSASSINATED.

Riots followed the election of M.
Narutowicz, mentioned in a cable message
dated December 10th.

The Nationalist rioters were largely
students copying the Fascist methods.
They attempted to obstruct the President
of the Diet, who was driving through the
city, and endeavored to prevent the
meeting of the National Assembly on the
occasion of the swearing in of M.
Narutowicz. Strong police cordons and
troops dealt with the situation, but depu-
ties and senators were hustled.

Counter demonstrations were later
organized by workmen who attacked the
students. A fight ensued and many
were injured. The Chief of Police was
subsequently dismissed.

WARSAW, December 16th.
The new President, M. Narutowicz, was
assassinated during a visit to an Arts
exhibition.

LATER.
The assassin, a painter named
Niwodowsky, fired three shots from a
revolver at President Narutowicz, who
was attending an Arts' exhibition. The
tragedy took place at noon.

It is stated that Niwodowsky has re-
cently showed signs of insanity.

AMERICAN IMMIGRANTS.

WASHINGTON, December 16th.
The Secretary of Labour, Mr. Davis,
with whom Sir Auckland Geddes dis-
cussed the conditions of Ellis Island as
affecting British immigrants, has stated
that he has ordered a thorough investi-
gation with a view to providing separa-
te accommodation for immigrants of dif-
ferent nationalities.

BELGIAN EXCHANGE SPECULA-
TIONS.

ANTWERP, December 16th.
The five financiers who were arrested
for participating in the illegal exchange
speculations have been released on bail
ranging from 50,000 francs to 250,000
francs.

FRENCH HOSPITAL TRAN-
SPORT DESTROYED BY
FIRE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 16th.
British and American destroyers hasten-
ed to the assistance of a French hospital
transport which caught fire off San
Stefano. They succeeded in picking up
the survivors.

Three women and three children were
burned to death, and a number are un-
derlying. The vessel was destroyed.

Whooping Cough.

When your child has whooping cough
be careful to keep the cough Chamber-
lain's Cough Remedy as may be required.
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

OBIUARY.

The death is announced of Lord Marcus
Beresford.

LATER.
Lord Beresford was in excellent spirits
yesterday. He dined at the Turf Club,
and was found dead in his bed this morn-
ing. He had suffered from heart trouble,
which, it is believed, caused his death.
[Lord Marcus de la Poer Beresford,
K.C.V.O. was extra Equerry and Manager
of His Majesty's thoroughbreds. He was
A.D.C. to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland
1874-76 and starter for the Jockey Club
1885-90. Deceased was in his 75th year.]

HOME FOOTBALL.

LONDON, December 16th.
Following are Saturday's league re-
sults: Home teams are listed first—

HOME	AWAY	SCORE
Arsenal	Huddersfield T.	1-1
Aston Villa	Everton	1-1
Birmingham	Nottingham	1-1
Blackburn R.	Bolton Wanderers	0-0
Burnley	Oldham A.	1-1
Cardiff City	Manchester City	1-1
Chelsea	Tottenham H.	0-0
Liverpool	Sheff. Wed.	2-2
Middlesbrough	Stoke N.E.	1-1
Sheffield Thistle	W. Bromwich	1-1
Sunderland	W. Bromwich	1-1

ALBION REVERSAL.
Ayr United ... 1-2
Dundee ... 1-2
Falkirk ... 1-2
Hearts ... 1-2
Kilmarnock ... 1-2
Motherwell ... 1-2
St. Mirren ... 1-2
Third Lanark ... 1-2

M.C.C. IN SOUTH AFRICA.

JOHANNESBURG, December 16th.
In the match M.C.C. v. Transvaal,
Marylebone scored 240. Sandham made
75 and Woolley 78. Nupen taking five
wickets for 16 runs. Transvaal compiled
21 without the loss of a wicket. Owing
to the bad light stumps were drawn just
before time.

SENSATIONAL RISE OF STERLING.

NEW YORK, December 16th.
The recent sensational rise in sterling
exchange, which reacted to-day, presu-
mably due to an over-bought condition,
is variously attributed to a message
from the British Government.

British Government operation possibly
preparatory to the payment of debt
interest, the reduced supply of com-
mercial paper and a general confidence in
Great Britain's economic rehabilitation,
which would again be emphasised by her
position as the centre of the world's
money market. The rise is declared in
other quarters to be the result of manipu-
lation from England.

CHINESE SITUATION.

LONDON, December 16th.
"After a year's absence I find the
situation in China immensely worse" is
the opening sentence of a *Times* message
from its Peking correspondent who asserts
that it is imperative that the foreign
powers should concert in a striking action
in order to impress the troops and bandits
that foreigners are under powerful pro-
tection, and that treaties cannot be lightly
violated. The correspondent declares that
the majority of the provinces are overrun
by bandits who are totally paralysing the
Administration. All money reaching the
capital is swept up by military and a
state of financial collapse prevails, from
which there is no visible means of recovery.

The correspondent is of opinion that the
powers may be compelled to enter into
direct relations with the Chinese,
which would involve the re-establishment
of foreign spheres of influence.

For the purpose of reasserting exporters
and bondholders, however, the correspon-
dent draws attention to the paradox that
despite civil war, famine, floods, typhoons,
bankruptcy, and political chaos, the
Customs figures are ten per cent. ahead
of previous records.

BRITAIN AND THE BOXER
INDEMNITY.

LONDON, December 16th.
Sir Edwin Stockton in a letter to the
Times declares that the Government would
be wise to realise that there is a strong
sentiment in British commercial circles in
favour of devoting the Boxer Indemnity
to Chinese education. He points out that
the project involves no deduction from
the Budget, since the payment of the
indemnity has been suspended since the
beginning of the war, and he expresses
the opinion, moreover, that all claims
in connection with losses incurred by the
Boxer outbreak have long been satisfied.

THE JAPANESE PIRACY.

TOKYO, December 16th.
Two of the leaders and some fifty others
have been arrested in connection with the
piracy case mentioned in a cable message
of December 15th.

FOREIGN CONSULATES IN
VLADIVOSTOK.

VLADIVOSTOK, December 16th.
An order has been issued stating that
British, American, Italian and German
Consulates have the permission of the Rus-
sian Government to continue operations.
The French, Polish, Czech, Georgian,
Belgian, Swiss, Dutch, Lithuanian,
Estonian, Danish and Finnish Con-
sulates must close.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND
PASSENGERS.

VESSELS DUE

FROM AMOY.
Dec. 23.—J.O.J.L. Tjiboda.

FROM BANGKOK.
Dec. 23.—E.A. Biotank.

FROM MANILA.
Jan. 4.—T.S.S.B. West Ivan.
20.—U.S.S.B. Bearport.

FROM JAVA.
Dec. 19.—J.O.J.L. Tjiboda.
20.—U.S.S.B. West Ivan.
20.—U.S.S.B. Bearport.

FROM SINGAPORE.
Jan. 4.—U.S.S.B. West Ivan.
20.—U.S.S.B. Bearport.

FROM CALCUTTA.
Dec. 20.—E.A. Biotank.
21.—N.Y.K. Ceylon Maru.
31.—B.I. Gregory Apcar.
Jan. 2.—N.Y.K. Akita Maru.

FROM BOMBAY.
Dec. 23.—N.Y.K. Moji Maru.

FROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.
Dec. 30.—A.O. Changsha.
Jan. 6.—E. & A. St. Albans.
Feb. 5.—E. & A. Eastern.

FROM PORTLAND.
Jan. 30.—Col. P. S. Wavellona.

FROM NEW YORK.
Feb. 4.—B. F. Tolomachus.

FROM HONGKONG.
Dec. 22.—C.P. Empress of Asia.
23.—B. F. Tyndarus.
Jan. 1.—C.P. Empress of Canada.
18.—B. F. Proteolus.
Feb. 18.—B. F. Achilles.
Mar. 6.—B. F. Proteolus.
May 17.—B. F. Achilles.

FROM SEATTLE.
Dec. 22.—C.P. Tyndarus.
Jan. 18.—B. F. Proteolus.
Feb. 18.—B. F. Achilles.
Mar. 6.—B. F. Proteolus.
Apr. 18.—B. F. Proteolus.
May 17.—B. F. Achilles.

FROM LOS ANGELES.
Dec. 24.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.
Jan. 23.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
Dec. 19.—P. M. President Taft.
23.—P. M. Pres. Lincoln.
Jan. 2.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.
25.—U.S.S.B. West Faron.

FROM EUROPEAN PORTS.
Dec. 19.—H.E.A.L. Ropet.
20.—B. L. Ropet.
21.—B. L. Ropet.
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FROM LONDON.
Dec. 10.—P. & O. Sardinia.
21.—B. L. City of York.
22.—B. L. Ben Lomond.
23.—B. L. City of Dunkirk.
24.—B. L. Nalora.
25.—B. L. Sledyk.
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HAIPHONG via HOIHOW	MINGSANG	Wed., 20th Dec., 10 a.m.
PUKOW via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	ESANG	Thurs., 21st Dec., 10 a.m.
Kobe	HOSANG	Thurs., 21st Dec., Noon
YOKOHAMA via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	TINGSANG	Fri., 22nd Dec., 10 a.m.
MANILA	LOONGRANG	Fri., 22nd Dec., 3 p.m.
BANOKOK via SWATOW	CHAKSANG	Tues., 23rd Dec., 10 a.m.
STRAITS and CALCUTTA	NAWSANG	Wed., 3rd Jan., 3 p.m.
Kobe	POOKSANG	Fri., 5th Jan., Noon
STRAITS and CALCUTTA	WOSANG	Fri., 16th Jan., 3 p.m.

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KITANO MARU ... Wednesday, 20th Dec., at 11 a.m.
HARUNA MARU ... Wednesday, 2nd Jan., at 11 a.m.

TAMBOUR via LONDON, ROTTERDAM.
MITSU MARU ... Middle of January.
LIVERPOOL via VALENCIA, MARSEILLES.
SHIZUOKA MARU ... Tuesday, 26th Dec.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila &c.
TANGA MARU ... Tuesday, 18th Dec., at 11 a.m.
YOSHINO MARU ... Tuesday, 18th Jan., at 11 a.m.

NEW YORK & BOSTON via PANAMA.
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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.
PROJECTED DEPARTURE
CHINA COAST, ETC.

SWATOW.

Dec. 19.-C.N.	Kingman.
19.-D.L.	Haifong.
19.-I.O.S.N.	Kwongtang.
19.-O.N.	Kaying.
21.-I.O.S.N.	Hong.
21.-D.L.	Haifong.
21.-I.O.S.N.	Tingwang.
21.-O.N.	Corjutan.
21.-C.N.	Kayin.
21.-I.O.S.N.	Chang.
21.-O.N.	Kaying.
21.-D.L.	Haifong.
21.-I.O.S.N.	Sosha Maru.
21.-O.N.	Kwongtang.

AMOI.

Dec. 19.-D.L.	Haifong.
19.-I.O.S.N.	Kwongtang.
19.-O.N.	Kaying.
20.-B.I.	Ranchow.
20.-D.L.	Haifong.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Tingwang.
20.-O.N.	Corjutan.
20.-C.N.	Kayin.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Chang.
20.-O.N.	Kaying.
20.-D.L.	Haifong.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Sosha Maru.
20.-O.N.	Kwongtang.

FOOCHOW.

Dec. 19.-D.L.	Haifong.
19.-I.O.S.N.	Kwongtang.
19.-O.N.	Kaying.

SHANGHAI.

Dec. 19.-I.O.S.N.	Kwongtang.
19.-D.L.	Haifong.
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PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.

MANILA.

Dec. 19.-Y.Y.K.	Tango Maru.
19.-I.O.S.N.	Loongtang.
19.-O.N.	Pres. Lincoln.
20.-P.M.	Pres. Taft.
20.-D.L.	Pres. Grant.
20.-I.O.S.N.	West Ivan.
20.-O.N.	Chang.
20.-C.N.	Rakuyo Maru.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Shinyo Maru.
20.-O.N.	Yokohama Maru.
20.-D.L.	Pres. Cleveland.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Beaumont.

JAVA PORTS, ETC.

Dec. 19.-J.C.J.L.	Tijlhuysen.
19.-Y.Y.K.	Woyo Maru.
19.-I.O.S.N.	Loongtang.
19.-O.N.	Pres. Lincoln.
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20.-D.L.	Pres. Cleveland.
20.-I.O.S.N.	Beaumont.

INDIAN PORTS, ETC.

CALCUTTA.

Dec. 19.-I.O.S.N.	Kwongtang.
19.-D.L.	Haifong.
19.-O.N.	Kaying.

BOMBAY AND COLOMBO.

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SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.	
Dec. 19.—N.Y.K.	Tango Maru.
Jan. 3.—E. & A.	Arafura.
5.—A. O.	Chang-ha.
18.—N.Y.K.	Yoshino Maru.
Feb. 3.—E. & A.	St. Albans.



Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and his parishioners.

The Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall, rector of a fashionable church in New Brunswick, N. J., who was murdered with his "Wonder Heart" choir singer, Mrs. Eleanor Mills, is shown in this hitherto unpublished photograph, with members of his parish, at a New Jersey watering place.



These women, wives of United States Army aviators are enjoying a luncheon delivered by a parachute from speeding airplane in Washington.



Col. Arthur Woods, former Police Commissioner of New York and a prominent officer in the United States Army in the World War, has returned from an extended tour of Europe.



U.S. Senator John K. Shields, Democrat of Tennessee, has been mentioned by President Harding as Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, to succeed Justice William R. Day, who has resigned. He will be the first Southerner to be named by President Harding.



Here are some of the new members in the new Cabinet formed by Mr. Bonar Law: Viscount Peel is Secretary of State for India. The Duke of Devonshire is Secretary of State for the Colonies. Viscount Cave is Lord High Chancellor. Marquis of Curzon, leader in the House of Lords, retains his portfolio as British Foreign Secretary. Sir Philip Lloyd Greame is President of the Board of Trade. The Marquis of Salisbury is Lord President of the Council.



"Uncle Robert" is the only name by which he is known to the pupils who attend the School for Crippled Children, in Henry Street, New York, where he appears regularly to distribute toys to his little wards, and he tells them the gifts give him more pleasure than they do to the children.



Officers of the National Women's Party have met in Washington to plan their campaign for equal rights.



Mrs. Margaret Wintringham.

The Margaret Wintringham, who followed Lady Astor into the House of Commons.



Regimental Sergeant Major W. Stuart of the famous Black Watch, hero of Mons, Ypres and the Somme was present at the recent American Legion convention in New Orleans, for two American divisions—the Twenty-seventh of New York, and South Carolina and Tennessee—had fought alongside his regiment in Flanders.



Mrs. Edward Leamy, of Larchmont Manor, New York, has sailed for London to visit Mrs. John Redmond, widow of the noted Irish leader. Mrs. Leamy herself is the widow of the famous author of Irish fairy tales.

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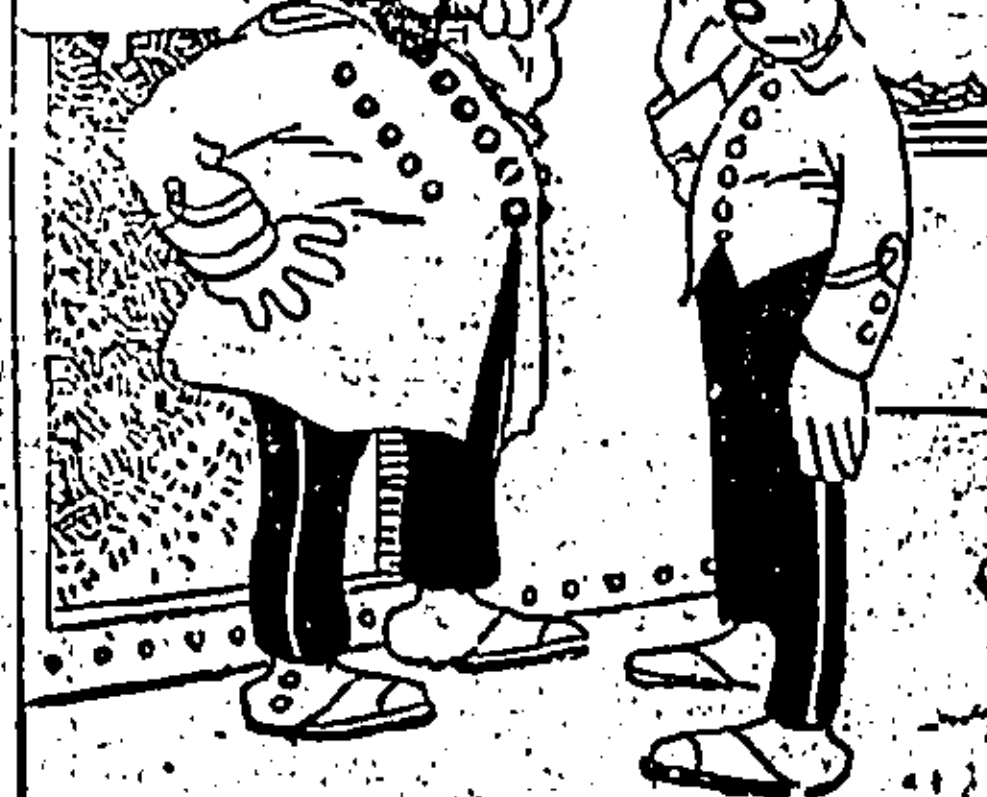
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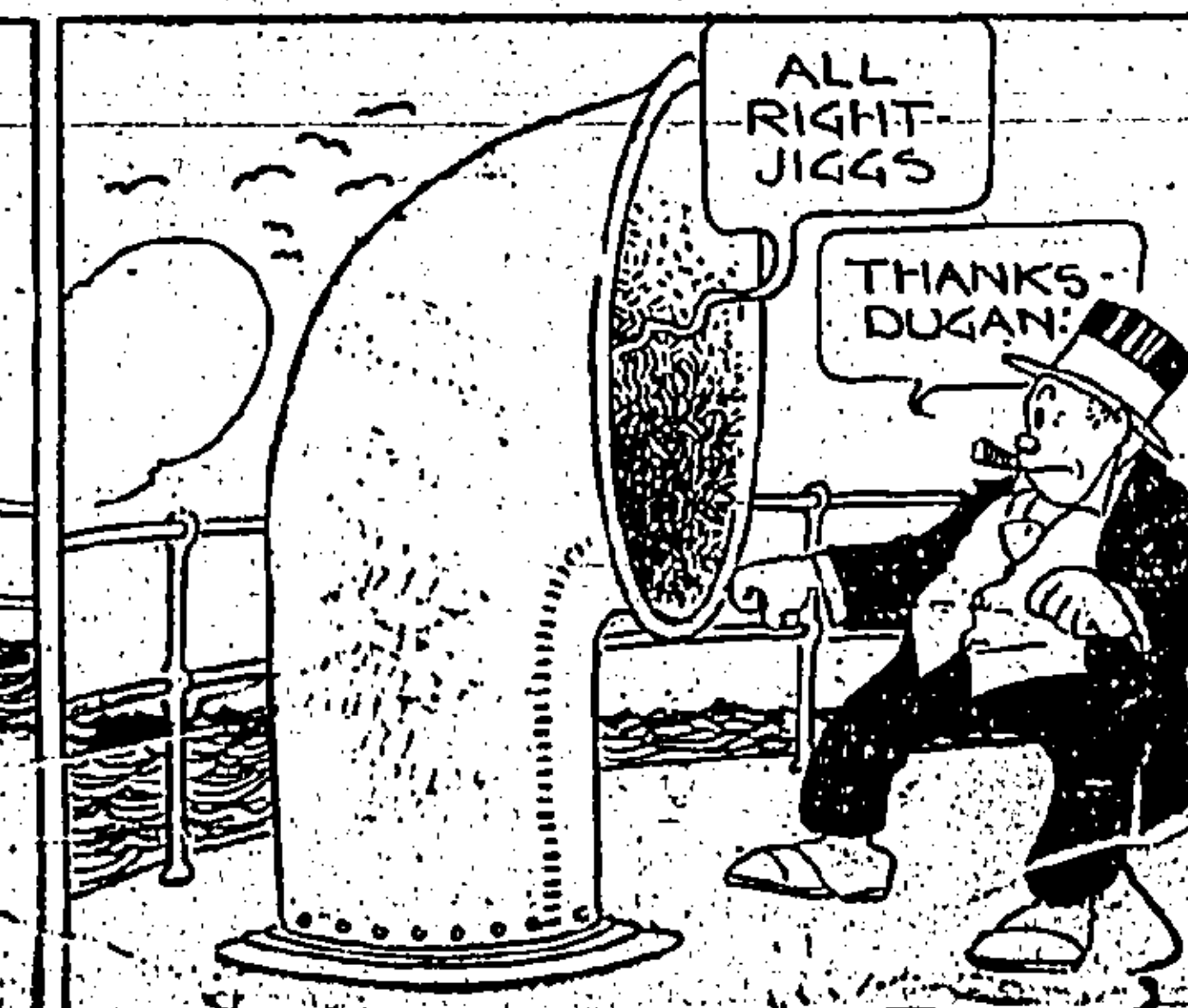
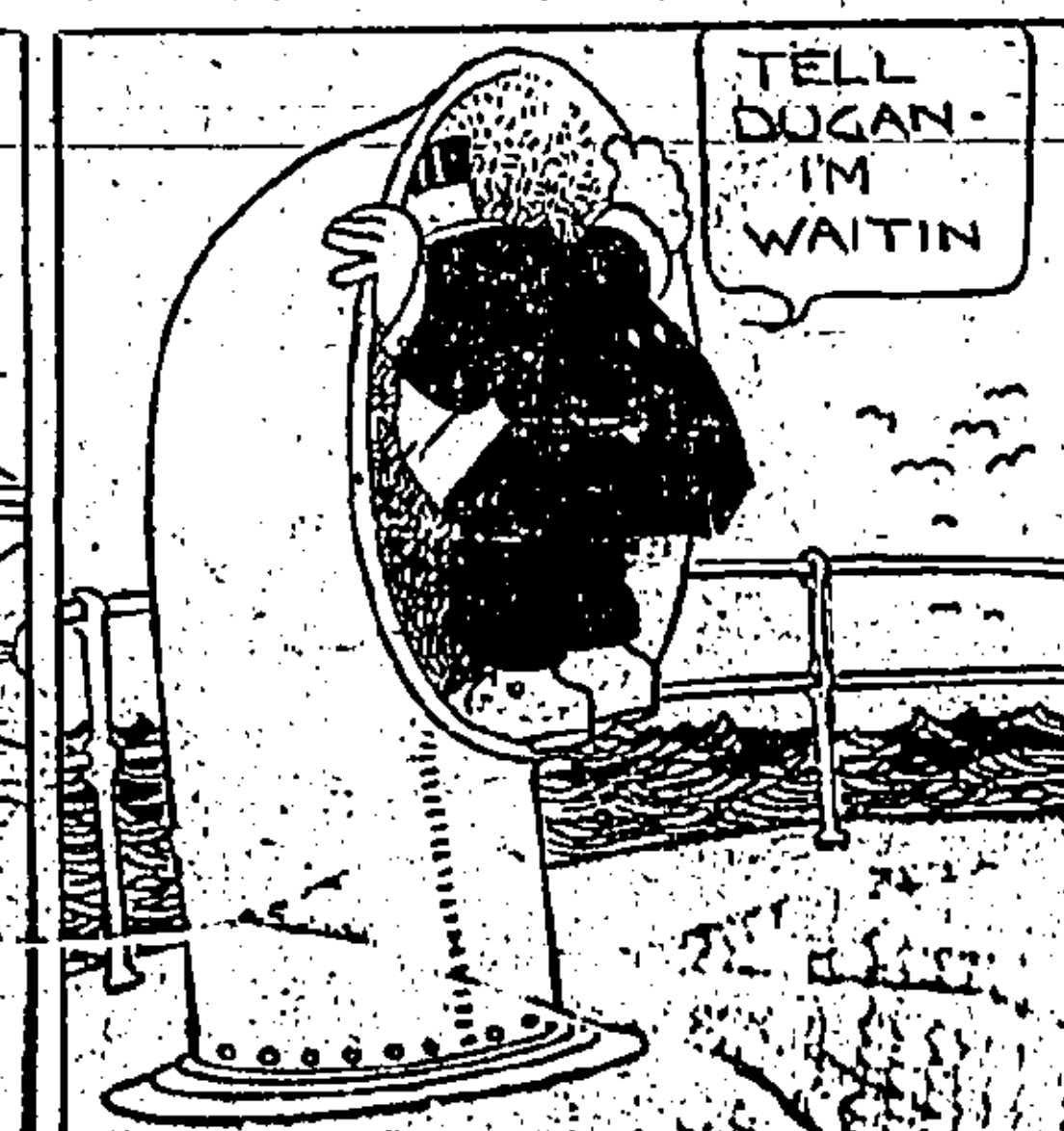
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